## REMARKS

Applicant is amending the claims to remove multiple dependencies and conform to U.S. patent law practices. Applicant is attaching a copy sheet 1 of the drawings, and requests approval to make the drawing correction indicated on the copy. The numeral 15 refers to the slide shown in Figure 2, but not shown in Figure 1. No new matter has been added as a result of the amendment. A check in the amount of \$500.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fees for the subject patent application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Bracewell & Giuliani LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0259 (037960.003).

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